GREAT EDIFICE MAY BE BUILT.

Local Organizations to Confer in Reference to the Matter.

BILL OFFERED IN SENATE

An Ap ropriation of \$3,000,000 Asked For Erection of the Structure.

PLACE FOR INAUGURAL BALLS

in the Movement-Scheme Said to Re in Line With Improvements by the New Parking Commission.

A movement that is well under way contemplates the erection in Washington in the near future of a massive and ornamental edifice, which will probably be known as the "George Washington Memorial Building." It will have as its object the providing of accommodations for conventions, exhibitions, and concerts and for the inaugural balls of the future. The structure will also be used by patriotic, artistic, and scientific organizations, which have been striving, each in its own way, for years to secure just such facilities as this enterprise will afford. Bill in the Senate.

Senator McMillan recently introduced a bill providing an appropriation of three million dollars for the erection and maintenance of the edifice of this character, and the various organizations in terested in the movement are working along the lines indicated in the Michi-

It is contended that these associations want to give to Washington what most of the principal European capitals have in the way of buildings to accommodate such public organizations as they represent. It is also pointed out that the scheme for TO FIX PROGRAMME the great memorial is in line with the general plan for the beautification of the National Capital which is now agitating the people, in view of the fact that the plans of the commission are about to be displayed for the public view.

A Conference to Be Held.

In order that definite action shall be taken in the matter, the Society of Washington Artists, of which Mr. Richard M. Brooke is president, and Mr. H. Hobart Nichols, secretary, has issued a call for a conference of the various or ganizations interested to be held at the Cosmos Club on the afternoon of February 15.

For a long time objections have been raised to the holding of the inaugural Kaiser's new yacht, which is the ostenballs at the Pension Office building because of the great delay caused to the work in that important bureau. In order to hold this function in the Pension building it has been necessary to dismiss almost the entire force under Commissioner Evans for two or three days previous to and following the balls. This has led to adverse criticism, not only among members of Congress, but in other quarters.

The Call for the Conference, The following is the call for the conference on the subject of the proposed edi-

Washington, D. C., January 13, 1902 "Washiczton. D. C., January 12, 1902.

"Sir: Inasmuch as there is a widespread desire for a building in Washington of imposing and artistic proportions, that could be used for the inaugural ball; conventions, exhibitions, concerts, etc., and inasmuch as the many organizations in Washington, patriotic, artistic and scientific, have been striving, each in its own way, for the realization of this desire, it is expected, at which the arrangements to be made will be discussed in detail.

Necessary Preparations.

It will be necessary to make preparations for the visit of the President and Miss Alice Roosevelt to Shooter's Island, where the launching will take place. purpose of discussing the matter and agreeing on a united plan of action.

Several Reasons Advanced. The advisability of such a conference

will be apparent because: First-United effort will sooner effect this purpose than separate action on the part of each organization. "Second—One building might be con-structed to meet the needs of all the or-

ganizations.
"Third-At this time there is a general

of this character in its recommendations "Fourth-Senator McMillan has intro-duced in the Senate, a bill which carries an appropriation of \$2,000,000 for the erec-tion and maintenance of this building.

Artists Take the Initiative.

"The Society of Washington Artists, therefore, has decided to take the initiative, and hereby earnestly requests you organization to send two delegates to represent it at the general conference, which will be held at the Cosmos Club on the afternoon of February 15 at 3 o'clock.

The Organizations Interested. "The following organiations have re ceived this same invitation: George Washington Memorial Association, Loyal Le-

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gion, Daughters of American Revolut can Revolution. Sons of the Revolution Aztec Society, Society of Colonial Wars Colonial Dames, Society of Foreign Wars Society of the War of 1812. Society of Washington Artists, Washington Water Color Club, Washington Architectural Club, Washington Chapter, American In Stitute of Architects; Washington Board o Trade, Georgetown Orchestra, Choral So-ciety, Musical Art Society, Washington Academy of Sciences, Washington Memo-rial Institute. Very respectfully, "H. HOBART NICHOLS, "Secretary."

FREDERICK FARMER LOST.

How He Happened to Deliver Coun irr resoluce on the Sabbath.

A strange story of a farmer in Freder ck county, Md., who "lost a day" and the embarrassment which followed is told by a Marylander now residing in this

The surprising thing about the "los lay" is that it is said to have been a Saturday which was let drop out of a week without being noticed by the citizen from the dark corner. His forgetfulness t is related, caused the farmer to drive Sewell is very noticeable. Patriotic and Scientific Societies his wagon upon the streets of Frederick Unite With Washington Architects on a Sunday and cry his country produce, while the people of that Christian lifferent places of religious worship.

The farmer in question keers a dairy other gentlemen seeking Senatorial and it was his custom to serve his patrons with butter every Saturday. Some-how or other one week passed so quickly to him that he let Saturday come and go without making his regular delivery of butter. Not knowing what he was doing, having no intention to desecrate the Sab-bath, he harnessed his team to his wagon and putting in his supply of butter start-

d for the town of Frederick. Soon after entering the confines of the metropolis of Frederick county he arrived in front of a church. It happened rived in front of a church. It happened that just at that time the worshipers were leaving the edifice. Thinking that a funeral service was being held he stopped to enquire the name of the deceased. One left the members of the congregation informed him, much to his surprise and discomfort and embarrassment that it was not a funeral but the regular Sabbath service which had just ended.

The member from the rural district was stounded and said that such a thing s forgetting the advent of the Sabbath ach week had never before happened to "Just think of it," he exclaimed, "evidently much worried, I left Hannah to home a making a wrapper, a sewing for dear life on Sunday, and she will never ferriture."

FOR PRINCE HENRY.

GENERAL PLAN TO BE OUTLINED.

Steps to That End Will Be Taken in a Few Days-Shipbullder to See President,

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.-No plans whatever for the reception of Prince Henry of Prussia, or for the launching of the sible cause of Prince Henry's coming visit to this country, beyond the selection of a tentative date, have been formulated yet, but within a few days definite steps will be taken in this matter, and at least a general outline of the reception to be given him will be agreed upon.

To Confer in Washington. Mr. Wallace Downey, of the Townsendbuilding the yacht, will go to Washingaunching the boat

He will also see Ambassador Von Holleben and a conference will be held at the White House, it is expected, at which the

tions for the visit of the President and where the launching will take place.

Mr. Downey is, of course, concerned only with the launching of the boat. He intends to suggest to the President and Herr von Holleben that the launching hould take place on February 26.

He has selected that date because there till be high water at the time most suitable for the launching. Any date, however, that may be suggested or considered will, of course, depend on the plans of Prince Henry, and the date will be finally settled only when he reaches here,

New York to Participate. This city will, of course, participate in

he reception to the Prince, and Mayor Low has already communicated with the Secretary of State, suggesting that the plans of the city and nation be so arranged that they will not conflict. It is understood that while Prince Hen-

ry remains here, he will live on the Im-perial yacht. When he goes to Washington he will be the guest of Ambassador Von Holleben.

The reception to Princess Eulalie of Spain, who visited the United States in 893 during the Columbian Exposition, ill be taken as a precedent in formulatng plans for honoring Prince Henry. Representatives of the army, the navy,

d the State Department will act as rince Henry's personal escort while in his country, and while in Washington here will be a dinner or a ball at the

White House in his honor. So much is suggested by precedent, but othing more of the programme that may be adopted can be determined until a

The records of the State Department rill be searched for precedent, and the whole subject thoroughly discussed by the Cabinet.

Although Prince Henry will not visit he United States in an official capacity, this Government will treat him with disinguished honor.

The Death Record.

The following deaths for twenty-four nours were reported to the Health Office ip to noon today: Daniel Won, 95 years Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything, but i' you have kidney, liver, bladder, or uric acid trouble you will find it just the remedy you need.

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Lucinda V. Castieman, 11 years; Mary P. Green, 71 years; John C. Ray, 55 years; Son, 49 years; Sorol Taylor, 48 years; Henson Johnson, 45 years; William Bennett 40 years; Katie Pleasants, 37 years; Clara E. Dowell, 37 years; Annes Lee.

Somith Hart, 9 years; Ruth Brown, 6 years; Charles Jenkins, 25 years; Somith Hart, 9 years; Ruth Brown, 6 years; Charles Jenkins, 25 years; Clara E. Dowell, 36 years; Clara E. Dowell, 37 years; Clara E. Dowell, 37 years; Annes Lee.

Whilip Carroll, 6 months: Joseph W. Scholl, 8 days; infant of Minnie Lengenton Proceedings of the processing of ucinda V. Castleman, 71 years; Mary P.

MR. DRYDEN IS IN LEAD TODAY

Gov.-Elect Murphy Lends a Hand in Jersey Fight.

HOW THE CANDIDATES STAND.

Mr. Dryden Is Reported to Have Seventeen Votes Today, and Each of Mr. Baird Alleged to Be Developing Strength.

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 14.-The effect ere this morning of Governor-elect Franklin Murphy's declaration in favor of

Mr. Murphy's presence and open advoacy of Mr. Dryden, following the announcement of his preference last night, village were just returning from their has given the Newark man's candidacy an impetus that has surprised the seven

Governor-Elect Murphy Potent.

Mr. Murphy will be the power with must deal during the next three years. This fact alone rallies to the Dryden standard the numerous county officials seeking re-appointment as well as many core of lesser lights anxious for consid

Besides this Covernor-elect Murphy is ooked upon by hundreds as an accurate political prophet and there is always an element looking for the winning card. And being known to be a man who will exhaust his every effort to successfully "put through" his favorite once he makes a selection, the workers are shving from the local candidate to the Governor's announced favorite, Mr. Dryden

Real Glimpse Campht.

The night's conference between and leclarations of the lawmakers whose votes are necessary to elect a United States Senator, has resulted in giving the wise ones a glimpse of the real situation, He said that just as soon as he could and the conclusion of several who canvassed the Legislators at the hotels and different candidates' headquarters last night is that there are six candidates, with six sure votes each, and one with seventeen votes

How They Stand.

This leaves ten scattered votes. The andidates having six sure votes each for the first ballot are: John W. Griggs, of Passaic; David Baird, of Camden; Edward C. Stokes, of Cumberland; H. C. Loudenslager, Barker Gummere, ir., of Mercer, and John W. Herbert, of Middlesex. John F. Dryden, who has twelve votes from his home county of Essex, also has five votes scattered throughout the States, according to this estimate.

What will happen on the second ballot no person can predict, but it is most certain that the politicians are fearing the developing power of ex-Sheriff David

Mr. Grigg's Situation.

It was satisfactorily demonstrated last night that Mr. Griggs is the popular candidate both with the people and with the lawmakers, but self-interest holds the politicians aloof from him, the powers that are just now favoring other candi-

t, has again announced his withdrawal from the race, and his advocacy of David Downey Shipbuilding Company, which is Baird. Loudenslager has all along been credited with controlling but two votes ton tomorrow to see President Roosevelt. but other South Jersey candidates credit

would stand a week before the first conference. Loudensluger's Votes.

Whatever may be Loudenslager's vote, the politicians say, he will be able to throw part of it to Baird and two votes will doubtless go to Gummere, who, by the way, has Mercer's four and two from Somerset to start with, and Gummere seems to be in favor with other South lersey candidates in the event of their

seeing that they cannot win.

Should Gardner step out his vote, it is expected, will go to Baird, and this would put Baird's count up to about 15 votes. Stokes appears to be fighting with all the candidates. Governor Voorhees, Stokes' sporsor, believes that he can have the prize if he will but jump in the fray with vigor, but Stokes hovers about the Baird camp in a manner that suggests some sort of an understanding which, in-deed, the Baird cohorts hint at. Middlesex and Monmouth will cast their

first ballot for Herbert the snuff maker.

o Griggs.
These on the Fence.

Union county's partly controllable delegation is still on the fence. United States Senator Kean cannot handle it the pollicians say, and even if he could Mr. Kean has not definitely indicated his choice. He is indebted to Barker Gummere for sub-stantial political favors, but the Dryden followers claim to have a mortgage on

If Stokes remains in the race, he will robably be one of the four remaining andidates after the first ballot, Dryde Griggs and Baird being the other three.

If Stokes drops out, Gummere will be the fourth, and in that event the poli ticians say all eyes must be on Gun ion can arise enabling these two to con

The Situation in a Word,

The situation this morning is Dryden in the lead, with Baird devel Senator, but with the politicians who control the votes of the members on the fence, watching events in order that they may flop to the winning side. Illinois Bank Looted.

COBDEN, III., Jan. 14.—The First Naional Bank of this place was robbed by safe blowers last night. It is believed a large sum of money was stolen.

Your Hotel

Grape=Nuts

Order the food served dry and with cream to pour over it. NEW YORK BANK DEAL.

Chicagonns to Magnify Small Metropolitan Institution.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.-A group of local apitalists, representing some of the ost powerful financial interests in Chiago, has secured control of one of the lew York banks, and in connection with affiliated Eastern capitalists, will make one of the powerful banking instituions of the metropolis.

The Continental Trust Company of New York, now possessed of a capital of \$500,000 and a surplus under \$1,000,000, is he bank bought by the new combination Marshall Field, P. A. Valentine, rep. senting the Armour interests, and John Mitchell, of the Illinois Trust and Sav egs Bank, tis combination with a number the Others Is Credited With Six. of Eastern capitalists, have practically made the purchase through Blair & Co. of New York It is proposed that a meeting shall b

eid in New York January 29, at which the stock of the bank shall be increased to \$1,990,900.5 the new stock to be sold to the combination through Blair & Co. for \$450 a share of \$100 par value.

Messrs. Blair & Co. will then nominate for trustees of the company representing the new stock Marshall Field, John J. Mitchell and P. A. Valentine of Chicago.

Mitchell, and P. A. Valentine, of Chicago, two members of the firm of Biair & Co., and five additional men of usefulness to the company from New York or vicinity. After the sale of the new stock, and the deposit in the treasury of the com-pany, it will have \$1,000,000 and more than \$2,750,000 surplus. The reorganized bank will form the

rincipal Eastern connection of the illi-ois Trust and Savings Pank. FEUD IS SPREADING.

League Island Society Trouble May Involve Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 14 .- Society eaders here are taking a lively interest in the social tempest at League Island Navy Yard, and the split caused by the wife of Admiral Sumner may extend to the city.

ner's blacklist have many friends in the city, and the quarrel promises to become a pretty one.

It is understood that the officers have made arrangements to give a dance next week at one of the halls in the city. The last time they attempted to give one at the navy yard, Mrs. Sumner secured the Marine Band to play at her house for an alleged musicale, but there seemed to be mystery as to whom she had as guests The trouble started in a dance given by

the officers at the navy yard one month ago. Mrs. Sumner thought she should have been consulted as to the plans, and anally inserted a notice in the newspapers to the effect that she knew nothing abou the affair. She remained at home, and kept her two daughters at home and since that time she has ceased entertaining,

Before the trouble she gave dance: every Friday evening. The admiral appears much worried, but says he knows nothing about the "fuss."

THE HARTFORD'S GROUNDING. Board of Enquiry Also to Probe

Commander's Absence. A court of eaquiry has been ordered by the Navy Department to meet in New York tomorrow to investigate the cir-cumstances attending the grounding of the Hartford, on January 8, in New Lon-

Capt. James H. Sands, of the Washing. ton Navy Yard, has been designated as president of the court. It seems that Commander W. H. Reeder, commanding officer of the Hartford, was away from his vessel at the time of the accident. The reasons for this absence enter into the precept convening the court.

JOINT ARMY AND NAVY DRILLS General Randolph Preparing Plans

for Maneuvres at New York. Gen. W. F. Randolph, chief of artilwork on his progr Gardner is still fighting, and he says he the joint army and navy maneuvres during the coming summer. He has asked Secretary Long if the Navy Department can be counted on to contribute its ships to the contemplated maneuvres. will be held probably at New York and

New London.

General Randolph's programme will embrace joint operations of the military and naval forces, and will include the National Guard commands which possess arillery batteries.

DIED.

HARTUNG-On January 13, 1902, at 11 a. n ANNIE AMELIA, infant daughter of John a ANNIE AMELIA, infant daughter of John and izzie Hartung, aged 8 months and 10 days. Funeral will take place from her parents' residence, 106 Florida Avenue northwest, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Relatives and Iriends respectfully invited to attend.

SMITH—On Sunday, January 12, 1902, at 5:16.

M. MRS. SARAH HICKS-SMITH, widow of I. H. Smith, and daughter of Mrs. Frances Walker.

alker. Funeral services from her late residence, 2216 Street northwest, Wednesday, January 15, at o'clock a.m. Interment private. No flowers

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January, 1902.

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SHOT WIFE AND MOTHER-IN-LAW

Brooklyn Policeman Commits Double Tragedy.

HIS WIFE DEAD-MOTHER DYING

Murderer Went to Mother-in-Law's Home, Kicked in the Door, Found Women in Hallway, and Opened Fire Upon Them-Made His Escape Without Trouble.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.- Policeman Willam H. Inpis, of the Adams Street station. Brooklyn, shot his wife, Mary Agnes Innis, dead, and fatally wounded his motherin-law, Mrs. Alice Gorman, in Mrs. Gorman's home, Rockaway Avenue and Ave-

ater at Lunr's Hotel, in East New York, and held for murder. Innis had been married but a year, but

neighbors say he has been cruel to his wife almost from the day of his marriage, Recently she was compelled to leave him taking her infant child, and return to her For some time past Innis has been try

ng to persuade his wife to return to him She refused, and because of his persistency she had him arrested for non-support. A magistrate ordered him to pay his wife \$10 a week.

Innis swore at the time of the decision that he would kill her sooner than pay limony.

Innis went to his wife's mother's BRINGING MRS.

ouse at 6:55 o'clock and demanded to be His wife, who was with her mother, refused to open the door

Kicked in the Door. He smashed it with his foot, and entered the hallway.

Mrs. Innis met him and he shot her Then he fired at his mother-in-law, who had entered the hallway at his wife's heels and she sank to the floor, with a bullent in her body.

old, and the neighbors, but no one at ten:pted to interfere with Innis. His loaded revolver was a potent reason for

The shots aroused the entire house

Escaped Without Trouble He left the house swearing he would shoot bimself. His wife's neighbors summoned the pe

When an ambulance reached the hous innis' mother-in-law was barely alive The surgeons did not think she had much chance to recover.

Innis is thirty-two years old. He was appointed to the Brooklyn police force in October, 1893, having been a bartender previous to that time

SIG. MARCONI'S WEDDING. Marriage of Inventor and Miss Holman Postponed. NEW YORK, Jan. 14.-The marriage of uglielmo Marconi and Miss Josephine Washington was expected immediately af-

Bowen Holman, of Indianapolis, has been postponed and no definite date has been agreed upon. Mr. Marconi will sail on Saturday for England and expects to reurn to the United States late in Feb-Family and business reasons caused a ostponement, and it was reported on good authority that the marriage would

ake place on the return of Mr. Marconi

o England. Miss Holman is in New York

for a part of the winter with her mother

and sister, Miss Helen Holman, at 201 West Seventy-third Street. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All drug gists refund the money if it fails to cure. T. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

"PLAY FAIR WITH CUBA," SAYS MASON ON RECIPROCITY.

nounts almost to a crime against the cople of the United States. He proceeded to make a strong plea for the repeal of all the war revenue taxes, except that on bucketshops and the small tax on flour aposed to prevent adulteration.

Cuba Bound by Our Action. In conclusion Mr. Mason urged the ne essity of reciprocity with Cuba. Upon our request, he said, the Cubans had inerted in their constitution that they

could make ne political treaties without

our consent. This practically bars for-

ever effective commercial treaties. "If Cuba," said he, "had absolute liberty to trade elsewhere, to make commercial alliances across the sea; if she ever had power to entangle herself with her old alliance, the country of Spain, I might feel and vote differently upon this question. We have put her in leading strings, so to speak, with all the good we have done for her politically and for civil and religious liberty upon the continert; we also have said to her: 'You cannot trade elsewhere without our consent; you must

trade with us." And the question new is, 'Will we trade fair?' Must Not Break Faith.

"I have met many distinguished men within the past three years who said: True, we promised not to take Cuba, but the exigencies of war compelled us to take it, and we must keep it. I have felt, Mr.

ncrease, it is worse than a blunder and I do not question today, who are willing to bind Cuba hand and foot as to commerce with other nations of the world and, by refusing reciprocal trade with our own country, to administer to the little republic commercial starvation until she knocks at our door for admission. I cannot and will

Four Reasons Advanced.

"I confess, Mr. President, that in view of our demands upon Cuba, with which she has readily complied; that in view of the high purposes for which we went to war against Spain and drove her forever away; in view of the brave American lads who went out to fight for humahity's cause, and in view of the graves of our heroic dead, I cannot approach the discussion of reciprocity with Cuba with that degree of cold commercialism with which would treat the great nations of the

"It may be for the present that the irmers making beet sagar would be injured by such a reciprocal treaty as we may make with Cuba, but the same farmers will be benefited, as I believe, by the breadstuffs, meat, and provisions for

which we will find a market in Cuba "Time alone will demonstrate and answer the question, but nothing can excuse us from honorable and fair trade with the people of Cuba; and if we refuse it, then common honesty and plata duty will de it, and we must keep it. I have felt, Mr.
President, that when a republic lies, it is a stain upon every citizen of the republic.
"There are many men whose patriotism or an with the other nations of the world."

MUIR'S BODY.

Husband and Attorney Accompanying It Here.

A FORMER WASHINGTON BELLE.

Interment to Be Made in the Me-

Pherson Family Lot in Rock Creek
Cemetery-Delay in the Funeral
Awaiting Husband's Return From Ahrond. NEW YORK, Jan. 14.- The body of Mrs.

rania Railroad train at 10 o'clock this orning for the journey to the National Capital. Dr. Joseph Muir, her husband. arrived yesterday from Europe on the steamer Augusta Victoria, and he and his attorney. Arthur Johns, accompanied the body to Washington.

Much comment has been caused in this Much comment has been caused in this city during the past few days by the absence of any tidings of Dr. Joseph Muir, whose return to this country and to

has been there awaiting her husband's reurn before the final interment beside her ather and mother in the family lot in Rock Creek Cemetery.

ter the death of his wife. Mrs. Muir died

Near Her Former Home. For these seventeen days the body of the n West Thirty-fourth Street, New York wringing the chickens' necks.

her last days have observed the period of

Mrs. Muir had many close friends, who, knowing her truly, loved her truly, and many others loved her for her mother's sake. These friends have paid their last visits of respectful affection, having laid flowers on the casket in which lies all hat is earthly of wilful Edla McPherson. that is earthly of wilful Edla McPherson. Among them was an humble friend, a servant in her family, an old coachman, who had often driven Mrs. McPherson and her tall, lovely daughter. The coachman laid a little bunch of violets on the casket, the poorest tribute of all to her memory, the richest his purse could afford.

Thus the body of her who was so brilliant, so courted, who was the apple of her father's eye and the delight of her mother's heart, lay alone awaiting the handsome, brainy man who, her mother declared, was another Svengall, who

Property Interests at Stake.

Dr. Muir's delayed arrival seemed the more strange because, besides the affec-Edla Coleman McPherson Muir, formerly was another reason to hurry him here. of Washington, was put aboard a Pennsyl-Mr. Johns again verified the statements her husband's favor, that the courts must decide the question of his right on the one hand to continue the contest of Mrs. fortune \$750,000.

WOMAN FIRES AT THIEVES.

Empties Shot Gun at Men Wringing Necks of Her Chickens. in New York after a short illness from Chicken thieves met with a warm repneumenia, on December 29, and her body eption at the home of William Dockett at an early hour this morning, Mrs. Dockett

emptying a double-barreled shotgun at The Docketts live on the Hamilton Road, near Garfield, D. C. Between 1 and 2 o'clock this morning accomplished, self-willed woman who was Mrs. Dockett was awakened by a noise in has the chicken house. Taking the shotgun

remained unburied in an undertaker's shop she went to the window and saw two men city, directly across the street from where Mr. Muir had his office in 1898, and to which place he took his bride in July of hit and fell forward, but regained his feet

that year, immediately after their roman-tic marriage in Hoboken, across the river. Since Mrs. Muir's death—she was the last of her family—friends and servants of

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must obey our life-long policy. For your part you'll find the Suits marked just what they have been all long. Some \$10. some \$12.50, some \$13.50, some \$15. There are lots of Back Cheviots and Thibets; quite a few Oxford Mixtures among them-and any number of stylish, fancy effects.

We want to impressone point especially-THEY ARE OUR OWN SUITS-either made BY US or FOR US. That's what makes the bar-

gain so genuine and so great. Good assortment of sizes-

Pennsylvania Avenue and Seventh Street.